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Price, \$24 per Annum.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—E. ALGAR, 8, Clement's Lane,
Leicester Street, GEORGE STREET, 30,
Cornhill, GORDON & GOSCH, Ludgate
Church, E. C. BATES, HENDY & Co.,
& Old Jewry, E. C. SAMUEL DRAGON &
Co., 180 & 184, Leadenhall Street.

NEW YORK:—ANDREW WILD, 133, Nassau
Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW
ZEALAND:—GORDON & GOSCH, Mel-
bourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports
generally:—BRAN & BLACK, San Fran-
cisco.

CHINA:—SUNSTON, GIBSON & CAMPBELL,
Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co.,
Fuzhou, HENDERSON & Co., Shanghai,
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY
& WALSH, Manila, C. BARNES & Co.,
Macao, L. A. DA CRAGA.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-
ING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND, \$500,000 Dollars.

COUNCIL OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—H. HOFFMANN, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—F. D. BARNES, Esq.
E. R. BELLING, Esq. WILHELM REYNERS,
W. H. FORSTER, Esq. Esq.
Hon. W. KLEWICK, Esq. Ed. TORIN, Esq.
A. McILWINE, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong, J. THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
Manager.
Shanghai, E. WEN CAMERON, Esq.
London Bankers—London and County
Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED

On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate
of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily
balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credit granted on approved Securities,
and every description of Banking and
Exchange business transacted.
Drafts, granted on London, and the
chief Commercial places in Europe, India,
Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, March 28, 1876.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA,
AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

CAPITAL, \$300,000.
RESERVE FUND, \$110,000.

BANKERS.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE CITY BANK.
THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in HONG-
KONG grants Drafts on London and
the Chief Commercial places in Europe and
the East; buys and receives for collection
Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds
of Banking and Exchange Business.
Local Bills discounted, and interest
allowed on Current Accounts and on De-
posits for fixed periods on terms which may
be ascertained on application.

Intimations.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER-
OF COMMERCE.

NOTICE.

THE POST OF SECRETARY will be com-
menced on 1st August next.
Applications, addressed to the CHAIRMAN,
will be received up to Noon of the 21st
July, prox. Salary, \$1,500 per Annum.
—Hongkong, June 23, 1877.

CHINESE IMPERIAL 3 PER CENT.
LOAN OF 1874.

THE COUPONS falling due 30th June
next of the above LOAN, together
with the BONDS DRAWN for Redemption
on that Date, will be Paid at the Office of
this Corporation on and after 30th June.
The Coupons and Drawn Bonds must be
left three clear days for examination.
For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI
BANKING CORPORATION,
Agents Issuing the Loan.
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, June 23, 1877.

CHINESE IMPERIAL 3 PER CENT.
LOAN OF 1874.

A LIST of the DRAWN BONDS Pa-
yable in Hongkong on the 30th
June, 1877, and in London on the 19th
August, 1877, can be obtained by the
Holders on application at the
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING
CORPORATION,
Agents Issuing the Loan.
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, June 23, 1877.

Intimations.

Chinese Imperial 3 per cent. Loan of 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in
conformity with the stipulation con-
tained in the Bonds of this Loan, the fol-
lowing numbers of Bonds to be paid off at
par, in Hongkong on the 30th of June, and
in London, on the 19th of August next,
when the Interest thereon will cease to be
payable, were this day Drawn at the Office
of the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING
CORPORATION, No. 31, Lombard Street, in
this City, in the presence of Mr. GEORGE H.
BURNETT, Accountant of the said Corporation,
and of the undersigned Notary.

NUMBERS OF BONDS DRAWN.

15	1267	2521	3794	5044
25	1266	2551	3805	5075
46	1304	2578	3823	5089
48	1327	2582	3854	5102
83	1357	2602	3863	5123
108	1373	2631	3890	5146
129	1382	2653	3901	5161
142	1415	2677	3934	5191
175	1434	2689	3945	5216
189	1453	2701	3983	5236
217	1475	2733	4000	5242
233	1492	2764	4006	5263
258	1501	2774	4040	5298
280	1525	2785	4052	5308
283	1552	2802	4073	5340
311	1575	2833	4100	5358
327	1592	2860	4105	5382
357	1605	2862	4130	5391
378	1634	2892	4149	5398
394	1656	2901	4163	5410
417	1677	2924	4191	5424
430	1684	2958	4217	5457
480	1707	2978	4227	5477
478	1733	3000	4243	5484
489	1758	3019	4277	5510
517	1765	3027	4298	5530
534	1784	3042	4315	5551
546	1811	3077	4340	5561
575	1822	3082	4359	5587
584	1851	3119	4369	5604
612	1874	3123	4384	5626
637	1900	3145	4407	5645
644	1919	3162	4425	5677
669	1930	3183	4454	5688
687	1953	3217	4474	5708
709	1974	3237	4495	5740
721	1994	3260	4516	5750
757	2020	3278	4530	5776
780	2040	3285	4544	5797
800	2049	3314	4573	5804
817	2078	3325	4599	5826
830	2095	3349	4601	5857
846	2118	3362	4637	5873
867	2134	3382	4648	5888
894	2151	3407	4668	5908
907	2174	3425	4699	5921
931	2198	3459	4716	5960
955	2218	3479	4724	5976
979	2232	3489	4750	5994
989	2257	3509	4773	6015
1018	2273	3523	4798	6035
1028	2299	3543	4805	6060
1047	2305	3579	4839	6077
1073	2333	3583	4860	6084
1092	2346	3610	4871	6103
1117	2364	3621	4897	6128
1122	2397	3652	4901	6155
1158	2419	3671	4929	6173
1178	2431	3681	4954	6183
1193	2455	3709	4966	6205
1210	2465	3739	4982	6226
1228	2487	3745	5016	6277
1248	2504	3767	5023	

Amounting together to the sum of £31,315.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI
BANKING CORPORATION,
GEO. H. BURNETT,
Accountant.

Countersigned,
W. W. VENN, Esq.,
Notary Public,
2 Pope's Head Alley, Cornhill, E.C.
[y1]

LONDON, 17th April, 1877.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned regret to inform their
Customers, that in consequence of the
VERY GREAT ADVANCE in the PRICE OF
FLOUR, they will be compelled TO RAISE
the Price of their First Quality BREAD
One Cent per Pound, Commencing from the
1st July, 1877.

HONGKONG AND CHINA BAKERY CO.,
LIMITED.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,
General Managers.

DORABEE NOWROOZE,
Hongkong, June 21, 1877. [y21]

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-
PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company
will be CLOSED from the 20th to the
30th Instant, both days inclusive.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
OLYMPANT & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, June 11, 1877. [y30]

DENTAL NOTICE.

ON and after the 28th of May, Dr.
STOUT'S Consulting and Operating
ROOMS will be on the Ground Floor of
the Hotel de l'Univers.

Hongkong, May 28, 1877.

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS has Returned to Hong-
kong, and will be ready to Receive
Patients on MONDAY, June 25th.

Office, No. 7, Arbuthnot Road.
Hongkong, June 23, 1877. [y31]

Intimations.

PACIFIC MAIL S. S. COMPANY.

THE Company's S.S. CITY OF TOKIO
will be despatched hence to SAN
FRANCISCO via YOKOHAMA on MONDAY,
July 2nd, instead of on the 30th Instant,
as previously advertised.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, June 27, 1877. [y2]

PIANOS, ETC.

TUNED AND REPAIRED,
BY
A. HAHN,
Care of Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,
or
Messrs CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co.

Hongkong, June 8, 1877. [y3]

THE UNION MARINE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been Appointed
AGENTS of the above Company
at HONGKONG and FOOSHOW, are
prepared to accept Risks and Issue Policies
by any First-Class Steamers, at current
rates, Payable either here, in London, or in
Liverpool, or at the principal Ports of
India and the East.

BIRLEY & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, May 21, 1877. [y22]

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR
1876.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Office
are requested to Furnish the Under-
signed with a List of their Contribution
for the Year ending 31st December, 1876,
in order that the distribution of the Net
Profits reserved for Contributors may be
arranged. Returns not rendered prior to
the 31st August next, will be adjusted by
the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will
be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, May 1, 1877. [y23]

GO and SEE the Huge Mass of Living
Fish, Standing over 8 feet 4, the
tallest specimen of human being living.

AND IS NOW ONLY A BOY!

Four inches Taller than CHANG, and
Three Inches Taller than the Great CHOW
KEE ZEE.

He will be Exhibited at the HONGKONG
HOTEL at All Hours in the Day and Even-
ing, previous to his Departure for a tour
round the World.

PRICES OF ADMISSION,.....50 CENTS.
CHILDREN HALF PRICE,.....25 " "
Hongkong, June 25, 1877.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

MR. WILHELM CARL ENGEL-
BRECHT von PUSTAU, Junior,
and MR. CONRAD MUNROE DONNER,
have been admitted Partners in our Firm
from the First of January, 1877.

WM. PUSTAU & Co.,
Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai.

Hongkong, April 16, 1877. [y16]

NOTICE.

FROM This Date MR. EDWARD SHEPARD
and Mr. M. W. GREIG, are autho-
rized to Sign the name of our Firm per
Procuration at Foochow, and Mr. F. F.
ELWELL at Amoy.

RUSSELL & Co.
China, June 1, 1877. [y17]

NOTICE.

MR. F. C. DITTMER is authorized to
Sign our Firm per Procuration.

SANDER & Co.
Hongkong, June 23, 1877. [y18]

NOTICE.

I HAVE This Day Established myself
as SHIPBROKER.

ROBERT DROSS.
Hongkong, June 23, 1877. [y19]

NOTICE.

MR. EDWARD BURNETT will Conduct the
Business of my Office, during my
Temporary Absence from the Colony.

R. B. CAIRNS,
Surveyor to Local Offices,
and Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

2, Club Chambers,
Hongkong, March 17, 1877. [y18]

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has been Appointed
AGENT at this Port for THE POSI-
TIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSUR-
ANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

W. H. NOTLEY.
Hongkong, June 6, 1877.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

ON and after the 15th day of November,
1876, and until further notice, the
BUSINESS of the above-named DISPEN-
SARY will be carried on by the Under-
signed.

WM. CRICKSHANK,
Manager.
Hongkong, November 21, 1876.

For Sale.

PRESENT TEA.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s OUM-
SHAW MIXTURE, Season 1877,
will be ready for delivery about 1st July.
Price, delivered free in any part of the
United Kingdom, per 10 catty Box, \$14;
per 5 catty Box, \$8.

Early application is requested.

Hongkong, June 14, 1877. [y1]

FOR SALE.

CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s
Celebrated
Brands of WINES and SPIRITS.

Apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

FOR SALE.

A POLLINARIUS BELTZER WATER,
in Cases of 50 Stone Bottles.

WIELER & Co.
Hongkong, June 26, 1877. [y3]

FOR SALE.

HENRIOT & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE,
Carte Blanche "Dry."
TH. ROSEBERRY & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE,
Carte Blanche.

JOHN DONALD & Co.'s CLARETS and
WHITE WINES.

STANLEY & KANTZ'S PORTS and
SHERRIES.

MOTILION & Co.'s COGNAC, 1, 2, 3 Stars.
BLANCHY FRERES & Co.'s COGNAC.

JUSTUS LEMBE & Co.
Hongkong, April 9, 1877. [y9]

NOW READY.

A CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE
CANTONESE DIALECT. Part I.
A to K, with Introduction. Royal 8vo.,
pp. 202.—By ERNEST JOHN EITEL, Ph.D.
Tübingen.

Price: Two DOLLARS and a HALF.

To be had from Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD
& Co., Hongkong and Shanghai; and Messrs
KELLY & WALSH, Shanghai.

Hongkong, February 8, 1877.

Auctions.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell
by Public Auction, in their Sale
Room, Praya Central, on

FRIDAY,

the 29th June, 1877, at Noon,—
FRAMED ENGRAVINGS, CASH
Boxes, Tea Trays, Table Knives and
Forks, Key Rings, Spectacles, Watch
Glasses, Tea Sets, Butter Dishes, Needles,
Pocket Flasks, Waterproof Coats, Al-
bums, &c., &c., &c.

Also,

30 boxes Candles.

15 cases Burgundy, bottled by Alfred
Morton.

15 cases Margaux, bottled by Alfred
Morton.

25 bags White Beans.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery
in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7.

The Lot or Lots, with all faults and errors
of description, at purchaser's risk on the
fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, June 26, 1877. [y29]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have
just Received from JAPAN, some
very Choice and Rare Specimens of NEW
and OLD SATSUMA, KAGA, and
KUTANI WARE, LACQUERED
WARE, BRONZES, IVORY CARV-
INGS, and ILLUSTRATED BOOKS.

Also,

An Invoice of JEWELLERY, com-
prising: Brooches, Ear-rings, Lockets,
Shirt Studs, &c., &c., &c.

The above are now on view, and will
be sold by Public Auction, on

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, 28TH JUNE, 1877

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.

5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
8. From Pier to East Point.

Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON RIVER
STEAMERS.

CHINESE GUN-VESSELS IN CANTON
WATERS. &c.

ROHANT STEAMERS.

MERCHANT STEAMERS.

June 23, 1877.
ROBERT STRAMER

June 23, 1877.
MERCANTILE STRAITS

MERCHANT STEAMERS.

*China	German
China	China

SAILING VESSELS.

Albert Victor	British barque
Alfred	British

MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS.

is . American scho

MEN-OF-WAR.

Kestrel H. M. gunboat

Mails.



STEAM FOR
Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle,
Aden, Suez, Malta, Brindisi,
Ancona, Venice, Mediterranean
Ports, Southampton,
and London,
Also,
Bombay, Madras, Calcutta, and
Australia.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
TEHERAN, Captain JOHNSON, will leave
this on SATURDAY, the 30th June, at
Noon.

For further Particulars, apply to
A. LIND, Superintendent.
Hongkong, June 19, 1877. j630

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamer CITY OF
TOKYO, will be despatched for San
Francisco, via Yokohama, on MONDAY,
the 2nd July, 1877, at 3 P.M., taking
Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the
United States, and Europe.

Through Passengers Tickets and Bills
of Lading are issued for transportation to
Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San
Francisco, to ports in Mexico, Central and
South America, and to New York and
Europe via OVERLAND RAILWAYS.

A Steamer of the Mitsui Bishi S. S. Com-
pany will leave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea
Ports, about same date, and make close
connection at Yokohama.

At New York, Passengers have selection
of various lines of Steamers to England,
France and Germany.

Freight will be received on board until
4 p.m., last July. Parcel Packages
will be received at the office until 5 p.m.
same day; all Parcel Packages should be
marked to address in full; value of same
is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland
Cargo should be sent to the Company's
Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the
Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For security of cargo, Shippers of Overland
Cargo are requested to endorse on the
Envelope the Marks and Nos. of Packages
Shipped, to correspond with those in their
Bills of Lading.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 3, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 27, 1877. j72

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ,
ISMAILA, PORT SAID, NAPLES,
AND MARSAILLES;
Also,
BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND
PORT LOUIS.

ON SATURDAY, the 7th July,
1877, at Noon, the Company's S. S.
HONG KONG, Captain REYNOLDS,
with MAIL, PASSENGERS, SPECIES,
and CARGO, will leave this Port for the
above places.

Cargo and Species will be registered for
London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-
cepted in transit through Marseilles for the
principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until
4 p.m., Species and Parcels until 3 p.m.
on the 8th July, 1877. (Parcels are
not to be sent on board; they must be left
at the Agent's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-
quired.

For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office.

H. DE POUY,
Agent.

Hongkong, June 28, 1877. j77

Occidental & Oriental Steam-
Ship Company.

TAKEING THROUGH CARGO AND
PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED
STATES AND EUROPE,
IN CONNECTION WITH THE
CENTRAL
and
UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING
RAILROAD COMPANIES
AND
ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. "GALLIE" will be de-
spatched for San Francisco via Yokohama,
on FRIDAY, the 13th July, at
3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for
Japan, the United States and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with
Steamers to Shanghai.

Freight will be received on board until
4 p.m. of the 12th Proximo. PARCEL
PACKAGES will be received at the Office
until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages
should be marked to address in full; value
of same is required.

Return Passage Tickets available for 6
months are issued at a reduction of 20 per
cent. on regular rates.

For further information as to Freight
and Passage, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.

G. B. EMORY, Agent.

Hongkong, June 20, 1877. j718

INSURANCES.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.
HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of
China and Japan, and at Singapore,
Saidon and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance
granted at the rates of Premium current at
the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Coals in Matched, on Goods on board
Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-
bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.
Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on
first class Lives up to \$1000 on a Single
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
posals or any other information, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Agents Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above
Company, are prepared to grant In-
surances at current rates.

MELCHERS & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on
Marine Risks to all parts of the World.
In accordance with the Company's Articles
of Association, Two Thirds of the Profits
are distributed annually to Contributors,
whether Shareholders or not, in proportion
to the net amount of Premiums contributed
by each, the remaining third being carried
to Reserve Fund.

OLYMPHANT & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, April 17, 1873.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant
Policies against FIRE to the extent of
\$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored
therein, at current local rates, subject to a
Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and
Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1808.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS at Hongkong
for the above Company, are prepared to
grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent
of \$10,000 on any Building, or on
Merchandise in the same, at the
usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20
per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

of

His Majesty King George The First,
A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Corporation are
prepared to grant Insurances as follows—
Marine Department.

Policies at current rates payable either
here, in London or at the principal Ports
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at
current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding
\$5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE
COMPANY.

THE Undersigned Agents are in receipt
of Instructions from the Board of
Directors authorizing them to issue Policies
to the extent of \$10,000 on any one first
class risk, or to the extent of \$15,000 on
adjoining risks at current rates.

A Discount of 20% allowed.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, January 5, 1875.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE
COMPANY OF MANCHESTER
AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed
Agents for the above Company at
Hongkong, Canton, Swatow, Shanghai
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant
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" Feet, 100 90
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" Head, 90 80
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